



# SCHOOL REPORT CARD 2008

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Principal	Ignacio Ruiz igancio.ruiz@tusd1.org
Entity ID	5726
CTDS	100201431
Grades Served	KG - 5
Students Enrolled	422
Type of School	Regular Facility - In A Unified School District
Office Hours	7:30 AM to 5:00 PM
Number of Instruction days	Not Avail
School Year Start and End	Not Avail

### Van Buskirk Elementary School

Tucson Unified District

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Tucson, AZ 85714  
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<http://edweb.tusd.k12.az.us/vanbuskirk/>

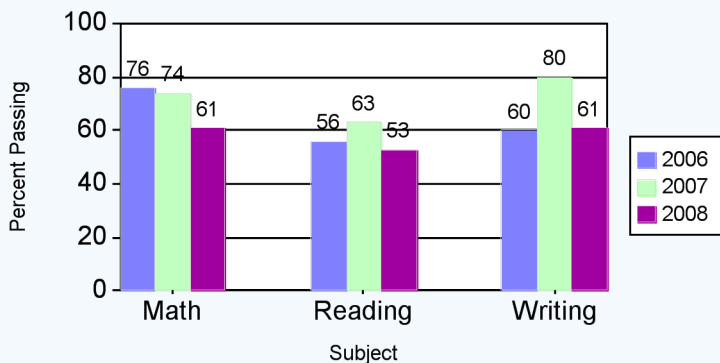
### School Mission and Goals

The staff at Van Buskirk Elementary school in partnership with our learning communiy, is dedicated to student mastery of the state standards, as well as the development of life skills and social responsibility. We measure academic progress through frequent and authentic assessments. We provide effective intervention and enrichment to support the individual needs of our students in an atmosphere of mutual respect that celebrates diversity.

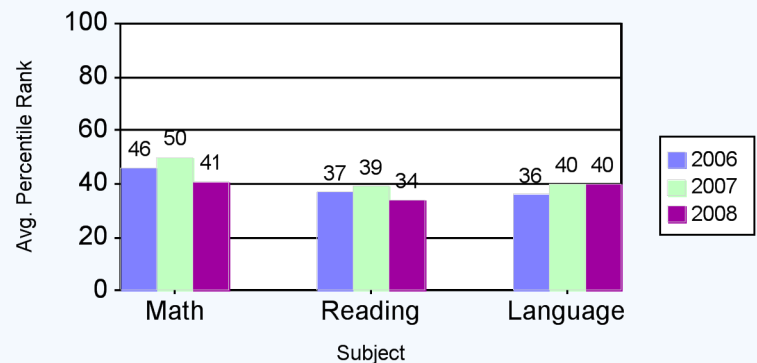
AZ LEARNS Profile For The School	Performing
The Federal School Improvement Status	N/A
The AYP Status For This School	Met

### Test Results for Spring 2007

Arizona's Instrument to Measure Standards (AIMS)



AIMS DPA/TerraNova



### Measure of Academic Progress (MAP)

Subject	Number in Analysis	Avg Growth Index For School	Avg Growth Index for State
MATH	118	-1	-3
READ	121	-7	-1

### On Campus Incidents 0

Van Buskirk implements PBS (Positive Behavior System) school wide to promote safety and harmony among student behavior. Van Buskirk holds an annual Safety Walk in collaboration with the community. To show students a safe way to walk home from school. The school works with the City Council, The Neighborhood Association, teachers, and parents to provide this opportunity.

### Arizona English Language Learners Assessment (AZELLA)

Number of English Language Learners	156
Percent Reclassified as Proficient	14%

### School Performance Measures

Attendance Rate	94%
Promotion Rate	94%
Dropout Rate	NA
Four-Year Graduation Rate*	NA
Five-Year Graduation Rate*	NA

\* - Graduation Rate does not apply to K-8 Schools  
NA - Not Applicable

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